IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

	Application Serial No	10/811,002
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	Inventorship	Vacarezza
5	Assignee	Honeywell
-	Assignee Group Art Unit	
	Examiner	White
	Attornev's Docket No	
	Title: Compressor Wheel and Shield	
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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED MARCH 6, 2006

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Sir/Madam:

In response to the Final Office Action of March 6, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Introductory Comments begin on page 2 of this paper.

30 Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Claim History Summary:

Claims 1-21 were originally filed.

5 Claims 1, 3, 6-8 and 10-21 were rejected and claims 2, 4, 5 and 9 were objected to as being dependent on a rejected base claim (OA 10/6/05).

Claims 1, 8, 13 and 18 were amended; claims 22-25 were presented as new claims and representations of original claims 2, 4, 5 and 9; and claims 1-25 were pending.

10 Claims 1-14 and 18-25 were allowed and claims 15-17 rejected (OA 3/6/06).

Claim Summary of Present Response:

Claims 16 and 17 are currently amended.

15 Claims 1-25 are pending.